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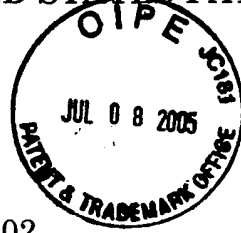
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Kazuo KOBAYASHI

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2. ☒ The information disclosure statement transmitted herewith is being filed *after* the period specified in §1.97(b), but *before* the mailing date of a final action under §1.113, or a notice of allowance under §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, whichever occurs first. A statement specified in §1.97(e) or a fee set forth in §1.17(p) is included. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c).

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I, the person signing below, state:

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- ☐ Attached is a fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) for submission of an information disclosure statement under §1.97(c). (\$180.00). [OR:] Please charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) for submission of an information disclosure statement under §1.97(c) (\$180.00) to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

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5. ☒ A list of 9 reference(s) is in the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE REFERENCES

- ☒ Enclosed is a Japanese language office action for a counterpart application.
- ☒ The applicant has provided machine translation of the cited references as a matter of courtesy. The applicant has not reviewed the translations for accuracy.
- ☐ Set forth below are comments provided by the applicant's home country counsel on the relevancy of non-English language references:

Respectfully submitted,
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	2000-347628	12/15/00	JAPAN			Abstract & Machine Translation	
	04-116588	04/17/92	JAPAN			Abstract	
	08-054601	02/27/96	JAPAN			Abstract & Machine Translation	
	03-132274	06/05/91	JAPAN			Abstract	
	07-199154	08/04/95	JAPAN			Abstract & Machine Translation	
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	63-280581	11/17/88	JAPAN			Abstract	
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